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# WORLD FUTURE SOCIETY

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The First Global Conference on the Future organized by the **World Future Society** and the **Canadian Futures Society** 



TORONTO, CANADA **JULY 20-24, 1980** 

### **Conference Executives**

Honorary Chairman: Maurice Strong

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Dear Fellow Futurist:

On behalf of Edward Cornish (President, World Future Society) and Louis J.D'Amore (President, Canadian Futures Society) we are pleased to confirm your participation in the program of the First Global Conference on the Future. The title, date, and time of your presentation are shown on the attachment.

The conference already has 2,000 advance registrants, and final attendance is expected to exceed 4,000...making it the largest futures conference ever held. Our preliminary program includes speaker presentations from some 30 countries and all are participating without fee or expenses. This rich global program promises to be an exciting event of major significance and highly rewarding for presenters and nonpresenters alike. A copy of the preliminary program is enclosed.

With over 350 sessions, the cast of presenters is an impressive host of thinkers and doers representing almost every imaginable aspect of the futurist movement. In order to provide a suitable forum for you, we may have included your presentation as part of a panel session with others. We trust this format will be acceptable to you.

We enclose a conference registration form and, unless you have already done so, you are asked to register as soon as possible for the conference. Presenters--as well as nonpresenters -- must formally register for the meeting. We are also including an audiovisual request form.

The conference is being held in two hotels, the Royal York and the Harbour Castle Hilton...the sessions are split equally between the two locations, which are in close proximity. Rooms at the Harbour Castle Hilton are presently filled, but the Royal York currently offers a wide range of excellent reasonably economical accommodations. We suggest that you now make hotel and travel arrangements.

We appreciate the time and concern that have gone into your contribution, and we are delighted that you will be a part of this conference.

Yours sincerely,

Frank Feather Conference Chairman and Director-General

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# FIRST GLOBAL CONFERENCE ON THE FUTURE SUNDAY, JULY 20 TO THURSDAY, JULY 24, 1980

### CONFIRMATION OF PARTICIPATION BY A PRESENTER

Name of P	resenter Theodor Nelson		
Name of Se	ession	Date	Time
	Personal Computers and the Future: Myths and Realities	7-22	8:30-10:00 a.
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Unless you have already done so, please complete the registration form so that we will have time to get your name in the final program, and return with the appropriate fee in the enclosed pre-paid envelope.

For each panel in which you participate as a presenter, \$35 will be deducted from the full registration fee. Full registration is \$110 for a member of the World Future Society or the Canadian Association for Future Studies, and \$130 for a non-member (a membership application form is in the program for those who wish to join). If you attend the conference only on your day(s) of participation, the registration fee will be waived. If your registration has already been paid, an appropriate refund will be made by July 31, 1980, unless you would prefer to make your registration a tax-deductible contribution to the First Global Conference on the Future.

### HOTEL INFORMATION

ROYAL YORK Rates:
100 Front Street W. Single..
Toronto, Ontario Double..
M5J 1E3
(416) 869-1600

Rates:	(Canadian dollars)				
Single	\$48,	\$53,	\$57,	\$61	
Double	\$62,	\$67,	\$71,	\$75	

When making your reservations, be sure to indicate that you are attending the First Global Conference on the Future.

These special conference rates are in Canadian dollars, per day. The Canadian dollar is currently worth approximately 85 U.S. cents, which translates into a savings of 15% for U.S. residents.

Please note that all conference participants are responsible for their own accommodation and travel expenses.

Please let us know if you have any questions.

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## CONFERENCE REGISTRATION FORM FOR PARTICIPANTS

PLEASE PRINT			
	METHOD OF PAYMENT		
Name	Check or Money Order		
	Credit Card (Please supply following		
Title	information)		
Affliation	Master Charge #		
	VISA #		
Full Mailing Address	Expiration date		
	Date		
	Signature		
☐ Is the above information a change from the information printed in the program?			
Type of registration WFS/CAFS Member	Non-Member Amount Due		
Full Registration (includes ticket to Opening \$110 Reception/Buffet and a copy of the Conference volume)	\$130		
Less \$35 per session participation			
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	TOTAL:		
☐ I will attend only on day(s) of participation (registration fees waived).	☐ I have paid my registration fees, but do not want a refund and will donate it to conference. ☐ Already registered and would like refund.		
AUDIOVISUAL REQUEST FORM			
audiovisual requirements. It is requested at this time to insure that our records a for participation.  The standard format for conference rooms and microphone(s) for the table and lected overhead (viewgraph) projectors, and 16mm	ng audiovisual support to the conference s a solid basis on which you can assess your d that everyone provide audiovisual reqirement re up-to-date and reflect your latest plans will be theater-style with rectangular tables rn. Flipcharts, 35mm carousel slide projector sound projectors are supplied upon request. ill be considered on a case-by-case basis.		
Session Number	Session Number		
	— Flip chart		
	35 mm projector		
	— 16 mm projector		
	Overhead projector		
	Other		